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TAGS: ECON, EFIN, NATO

SUBJECT: ECONADS: EFFECTS OF INFLATION ON DEFENSE  
EXPENDITURES

MISSION PLEASE PASS TO MR. BILLY, ECONOMIC DIRECTORATE

1. AT MEETING OF ECONOMIC COMMITTEE, REINFORCED BY EXPERTS  
FROM CAPITALS, ON INFLATION AND DEFENSE EXPENDITURES, THE  
CHAIRMAN REQUESTED U.S. REPS TO PROVIDE DATA ON TOTAL U.S.  
DEFENSE EXPENDITURES IN CONSTANT PRICES. DATA WAS TO BE  
BASED ON TWO DEFLATORS; ONE FOR PERSONNEL AND THE OTHER  
FOR NON-PERSONNEL EXPENDITURES. DATA TO BE SHOWN ON A  
BASE-YEAR (1970) BASIS.

2. DATA SHOWN BELOW:

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A. PERSONNEL EXPENDITURES (MILLION DOLLARS) BEGINNING

1968 ENDING 1975:

46872, 43850, 36930, 31848, 29159, 27533, 28358,

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27898.

B. NON-PERSONNEL EXPENDITURES (MILLION DOLLARS)

BEGINNING 1968 ENDING 1975:

46685, 45302, 40924, 37477, 37753, 35513, 33301,

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31203.

C. TOTAL DEFENSE EXPENDITURES (MILLION DOLLARS)

BEGINNING 1968 ENDING 1975:

93557, 89152, 77854, 69325, 66912, 63046, 61659,

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